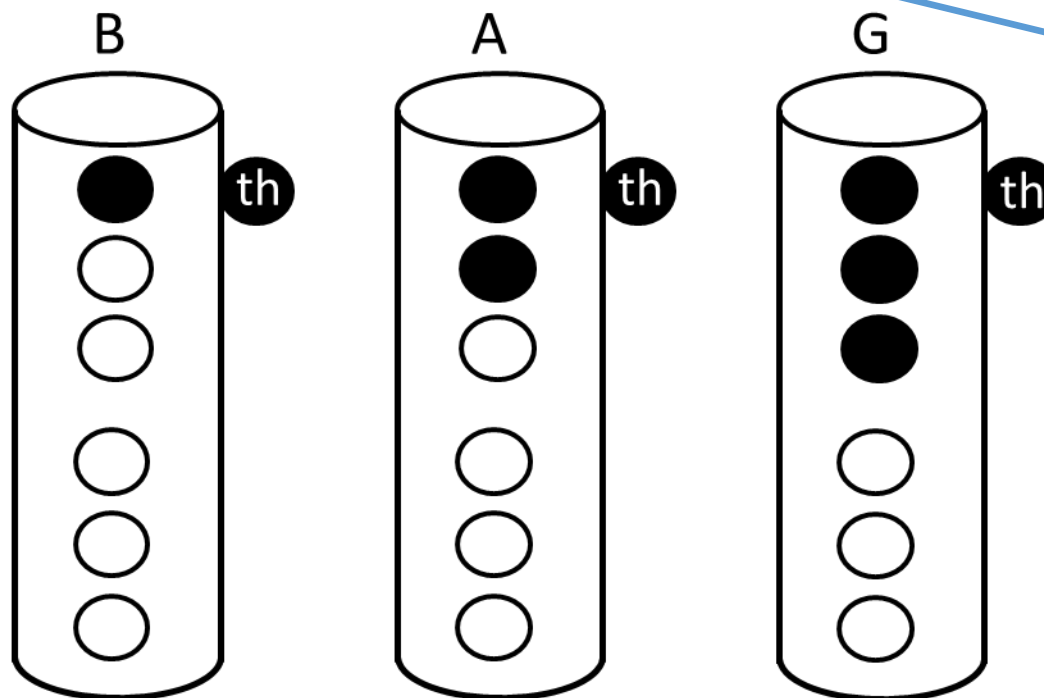


My First Recorder book



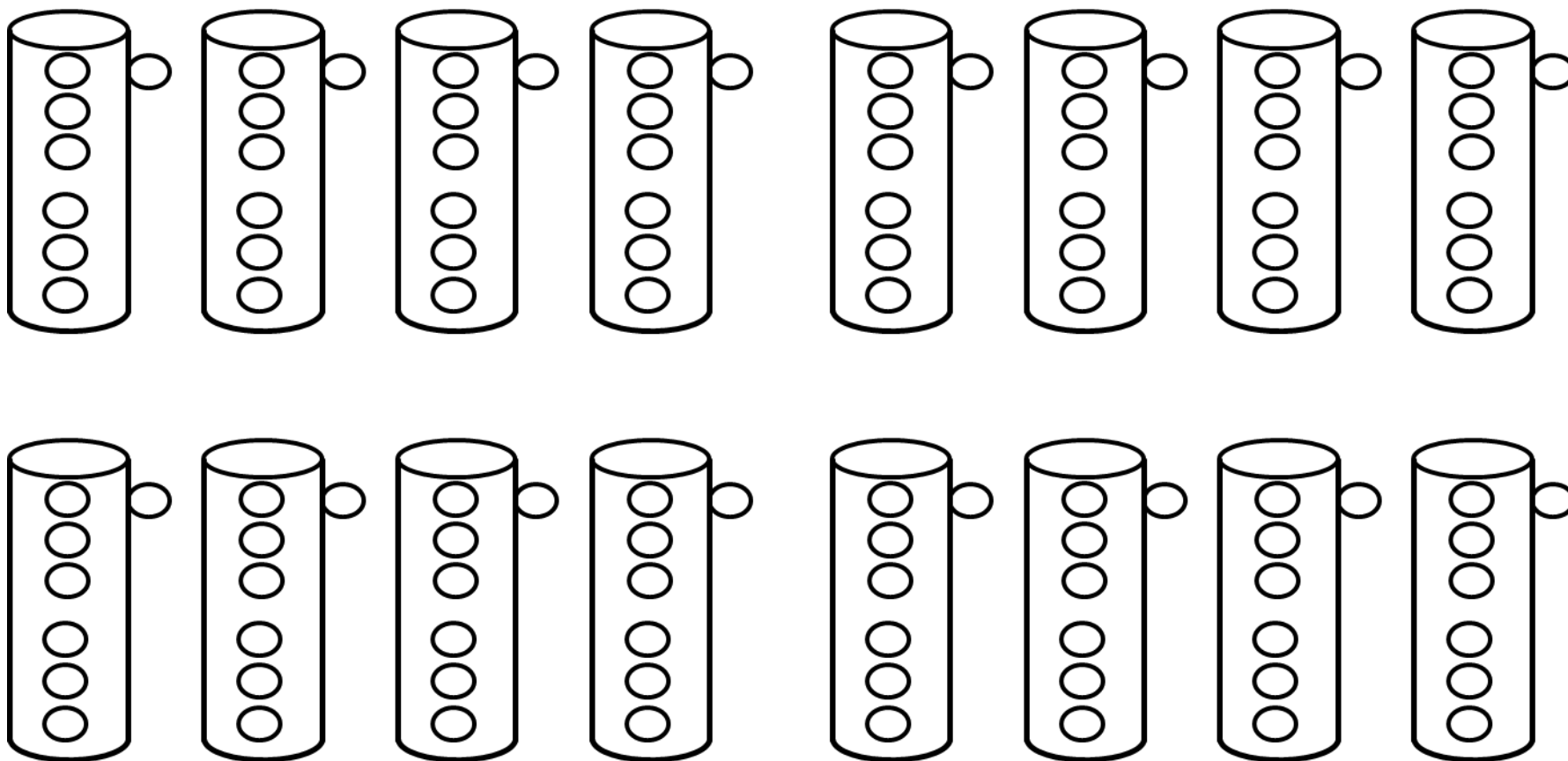
The first 3 notes: B A G

Use your LEFT HAND to play these notes.

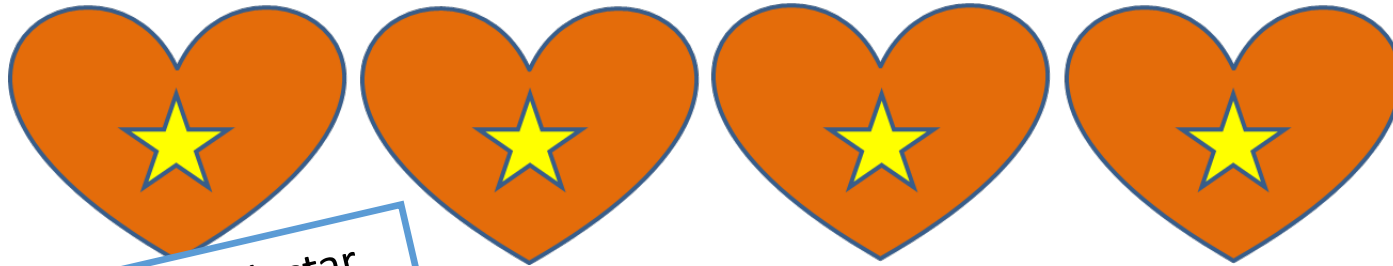


Which note is the HIGHEST and which is the LOWEST?

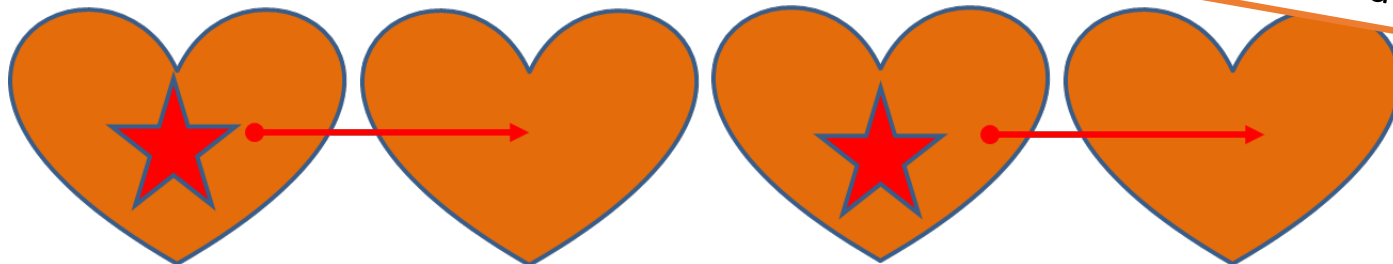
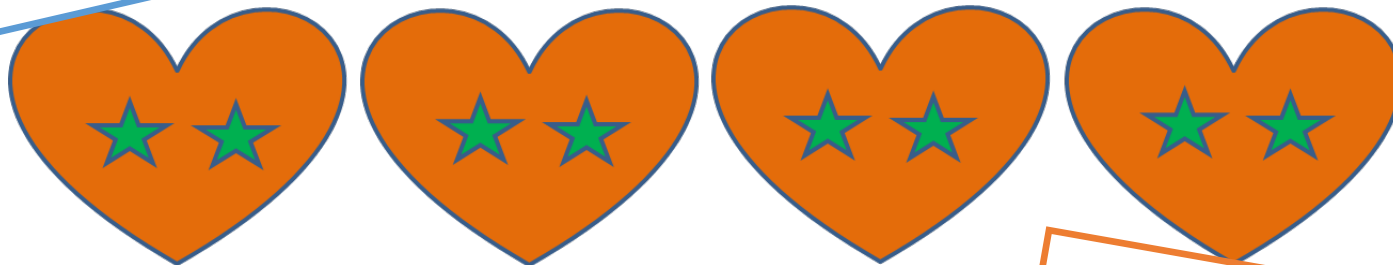
Using the notes BAG, colour in the holes for the correct note to compose your own piece of music.



RHYTHM and PULSE



Try playing one note at each star.
Can you feel the heartbeat?



What is the difference between
RHYTHM and PULSE?

RHYTHM and PULSE

What is RHYTHM?*

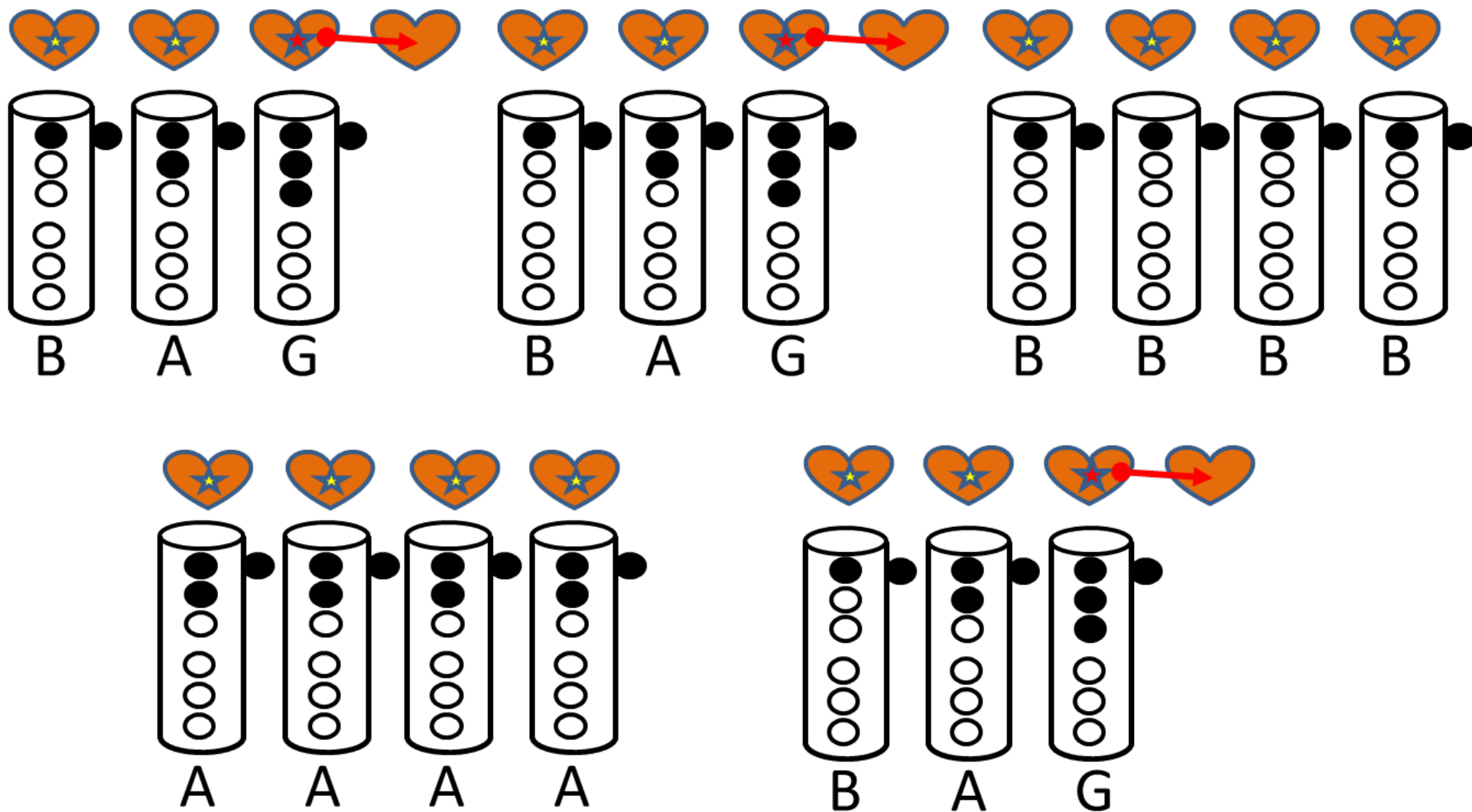
Make a list of characters from your favourite film or book.

Can you clap the rhythms?

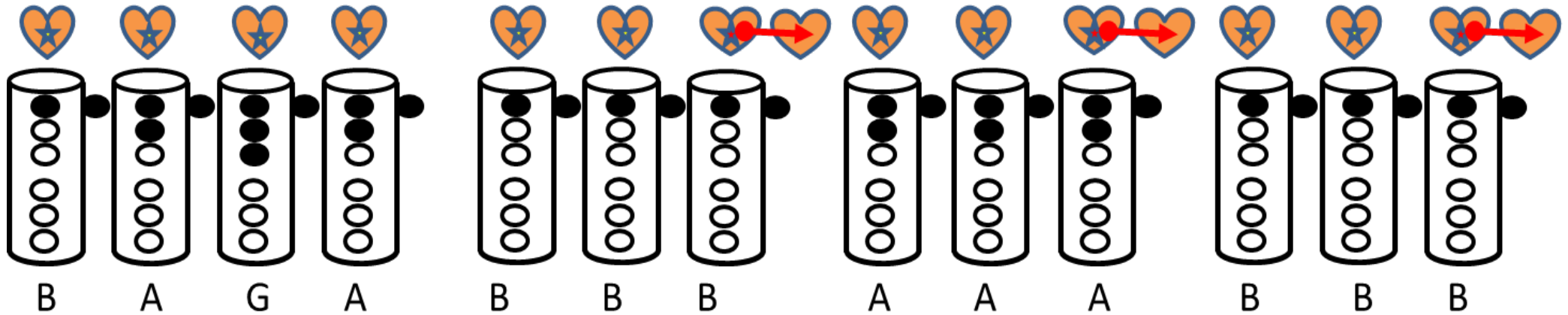
Try playing the rhythms on your recorder using BAG.

*Rhythm is a musical pattern of long and short notes.

Hot Cross Buns



Merrily We Roll Along



Reading Music Notes

Crotchet



1 beat

Ta

Minim



2 beats

Taa

Semibreve



4 beats

Taaaa

Practice drawing your own music notes

Try some Musical Maths

$$\text{Quarter Note} + \text{Quarter Note} + \text{Quarter Note} =$$

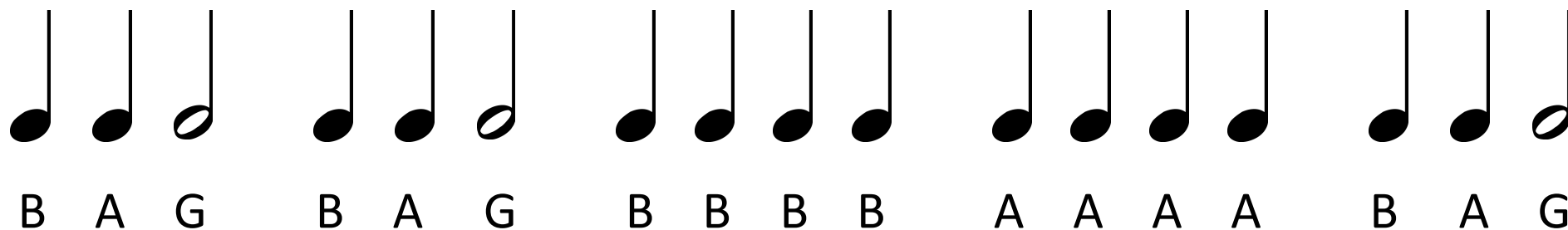
$$\text{Half Note} + \text{Quarter Note} =$$

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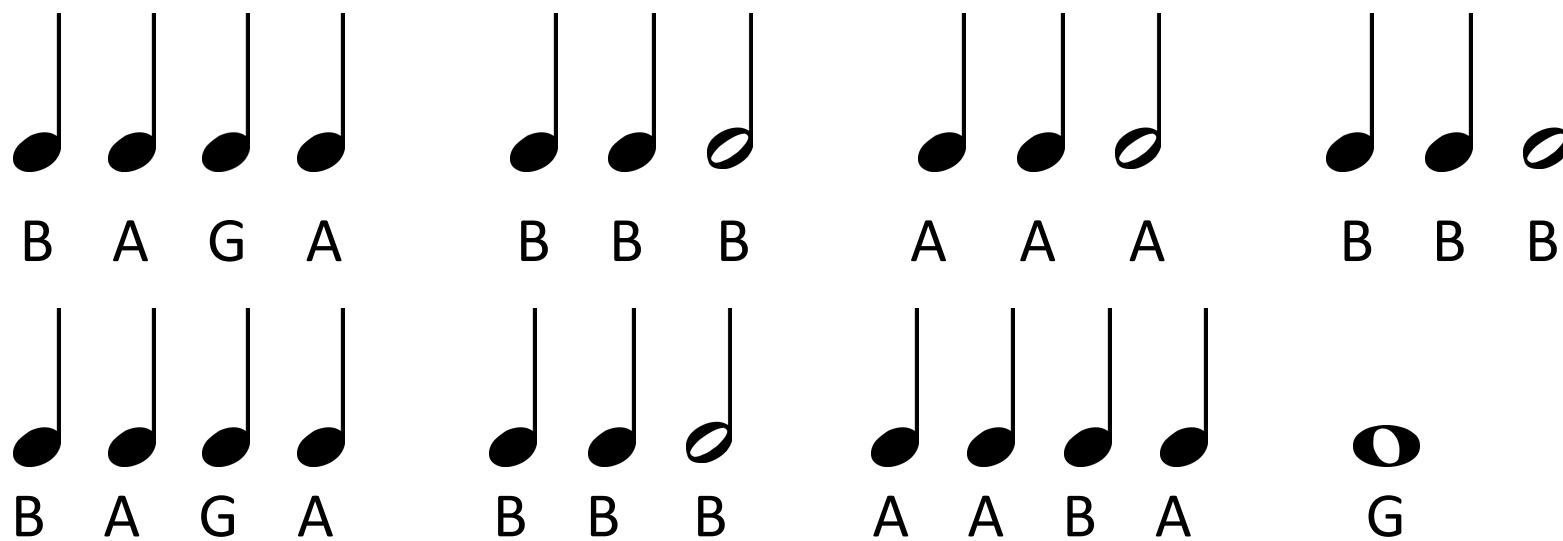
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$$\text{Half Note} + \text{Quarter Note} =$$

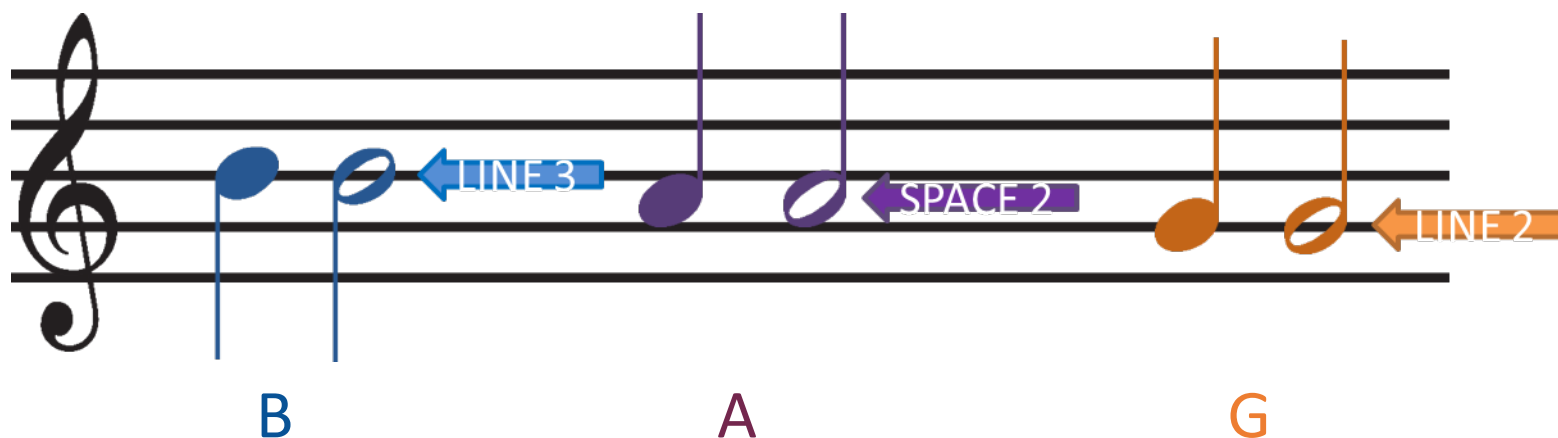
Hot Cross Buns



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Reading Music Notes BAG

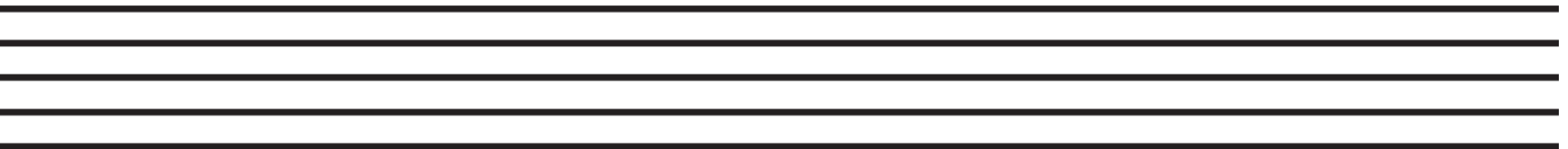
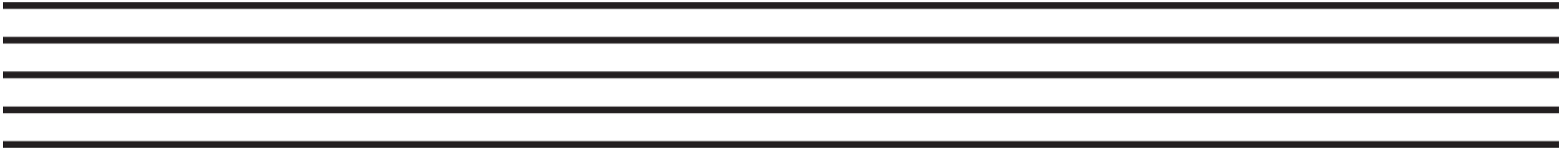


Which notes have lines through the middle?

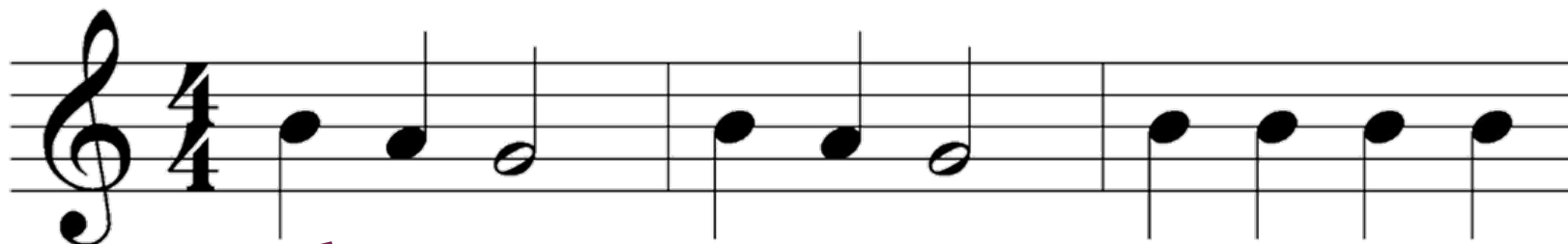
Which note sits in a space?

What is the proper name for the music ladder?

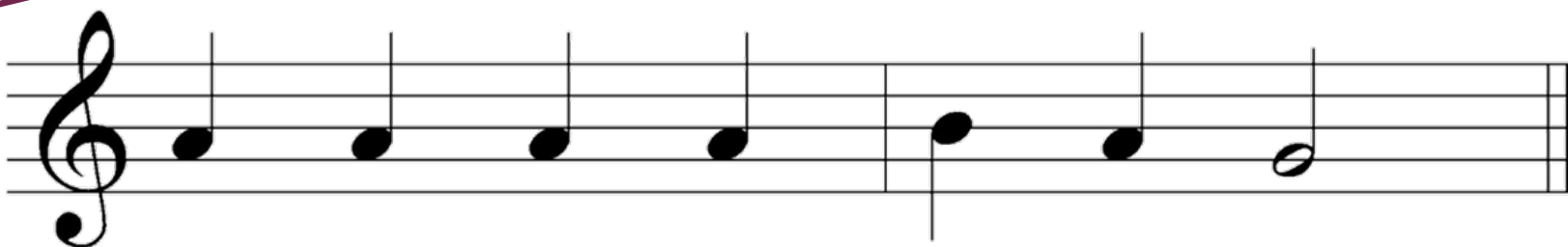
Practice drawing BAG on the staves below



Hot Cross Buns



Try playing Hot Cross Buns
while reading the music



Draw circles around around the Gs

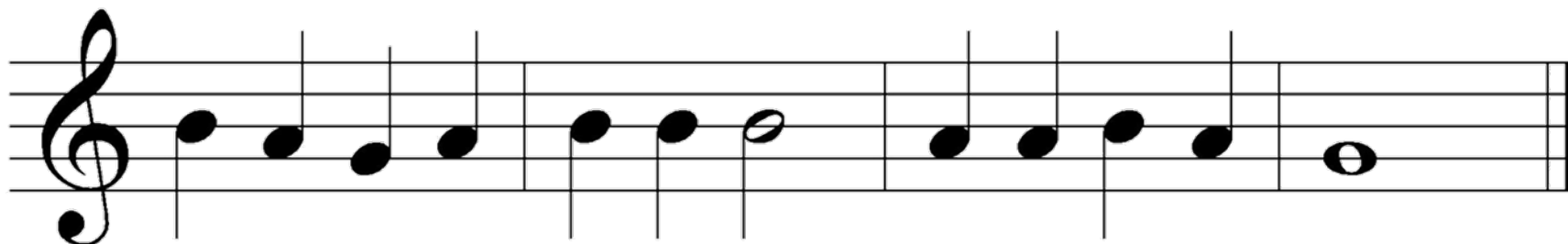
Underline the As

Draw squares around around the Bs

Merrily We Roll Along



Tip: Say the names of the music notes before playing

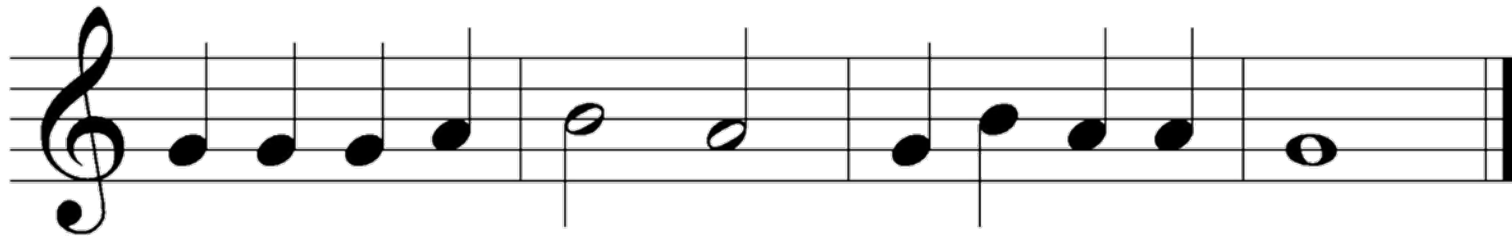


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Au Clair de la Lune



Tips for playing a new tune:

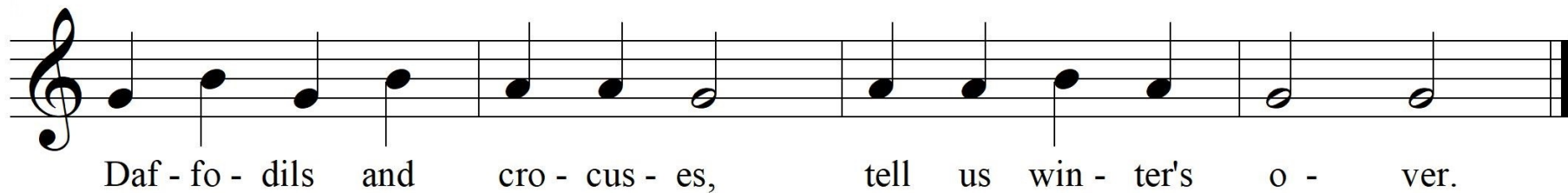
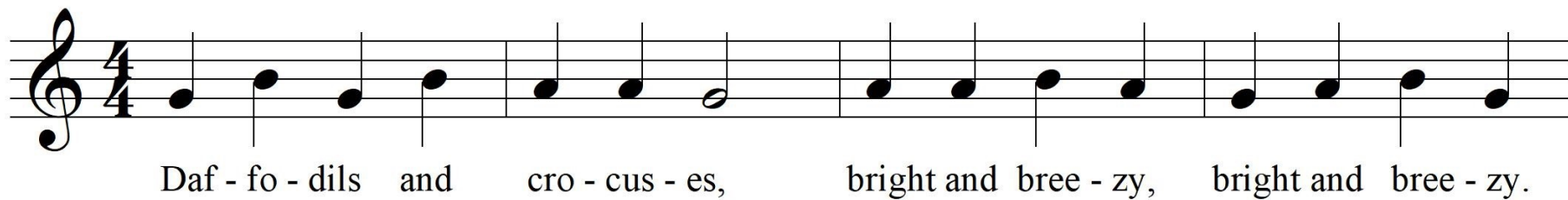
1. Clap the rhythm
2. Say the note names out loud
3. Play slowly and one bar at a time

How many times did you try before you learnt it?
3? 5? 10?
It doesn't matter as long as you make progress

Suo-gan



Spring Time





Congratulations

Has successfully completed
Stage 1 on recorder
Well Done!

